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	First Named Inventor	Raymond F. Ryan
	COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
	Application Number	10/193,736
	Filing Date	7/11/2002
	Group Art Unit	3749
	Examiner Name	

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TURBULENCE-FREE LABORATORY SAFETY ENCLOSURE

the specification of which *(Title of the Invention)*

☐ is attached hereto

OR

☒ was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) **07/11/2002** as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number **10/193,736** and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims as amended specifically referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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	Filing Date	July 11, 2002
	First Named Inventor	Raymond F. Ryan
	Group Art Unit	3749
	Examiner Name	
	Attorney Docket Number	5011-016

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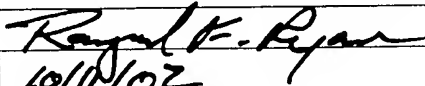
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SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record

Name	Raymond F. Ryan, President - Flow Sciences, Inc.
Signature	
Date	10/11/02

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ASSIGNMENT

This Assignment made by us, Raymond F. Ryan, residing at 2817-B North 23rd Street, Wilmington, State of North Carolina, a citizen of the United States of America, and Alexy Y. Kolesnikov residing at 134 Trombay Drive, Wilmington, State of North Carolina, a citizen of the United States of America, hereinafter referred to as assignors.

WITNESSETH: That,

WHEREAS, we are the joint inventors of certain new and useful improvements in TURBULENCE-FREE LABORATORY SAFETY ENCLOSURE, U. S. Patent Serial No. 10/193,736 filed on July 11, 2002, for which we have executed a declaration on the eleventh day of October, 2002.

WHEREAS, Flow Sciences, Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina and having a principal place of business at 2817-B North 23rd Street, Wilmington, State of North Carolina, hereinafter referred to as assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as described in the specification executed by us concurrently herewith, and any and all Letters Patent which shall be granted therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, To All Whom It May Concern, be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said assignors, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over unto the said assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned application and invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may hereafter be granted therefor, and in any and to any and all continuations, continuations-in-part, substitutions, divisions, or reissues of said Letters Patent, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said assignee, for its interest, and for its own use and behoof, and the use and behoof of its successors and assigns, to the full end

of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

And for the consideration aforesaid, we hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors and assigns, that at the time of the execution and delivery of these presents we are the joint and lawful owners of the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, application and Letters Patent above-mentioned and that the same are unencumbered, and that we have good right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

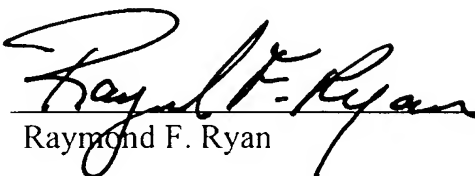
And for the consideration aforesaid, we hereby covenant and agree to and with the said assignee, its successors and assigns, that we will, whenever its counsel or the counsel of its successors and assigns, learned in the law, shall advise that an amendment, division, continuation, continuation-in-part, or substitution of, or any other proceeding in connection with said application, including interference proceedings, is lawful and desirable, sign all papers and drawings, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for the procurement of valid Letters Patent for said invention, or for the reissue of the same without charge to our said assignee, its successors or assigns, but at its or their expense.

We hereby request the Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks to issue the Letters Patent in accordance with this instrument.

For the consideration aforesaid, we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said assignee, its successors, assigns or nominee, the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent for said invention which may be granted in countries foreign to the United States and in and to any applications for Letters Patent which may be filed for said invention in countries foreign to the United States and in and to the invention described in said application; and we hereby authorize and empower the said assignee, its successors, assigns or nominees to apply for Letters Patent or other form of protection on said invention in its own name or in the name its successor, assignee, or nominee, in any and all countries where it may desire to file such application and where said application

may be filed by another than the inventor; and we hereby covenant and agree to sign all papers and drawings, take all rightful oaths, and do all acts necessary or required to be done for procurement of Letters Patent, or other form of protection, for said invention or inventions in countries foreign to the United States, and for further investing or confirming the right and title therein to the assignee, its successors, assignee, or nominee, without charge to our said assignee, its successor, assignee or nominee, but at its or their expense.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this the eleventh day of October, 2002.


Raymond F. Ryan


Alexy Y. Kolesnikov

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